

## SNARE DRUM

Portraits in Rhythm, Anthony J. Cirone; Belwin  
Etude #23, Meas. 1-Fine, (p. 25)

## ETUDE SET 2

The designation "ABA" refers to a three-part form comprised of a first section ("A") in a particular key, a second, contrasting section ("B"), in a different, but related key, and a third section ("A"), similar to the first, if not an actual recapitulation of it. This structure has been approximated here as follows: "A" equals measures 1-6, in 4/4 meter; "B" equals measures 7-18, in 2/4 meter; "A" equals measures 22-27, in 4/4 meter. Since the snare drum is incapable of expressing changes in tonality, meter changes have replaced key changes in the respective sections. Further, measures 19-21 act as a transition from the "B" back to the "A" section, and employ shifting meters just as an harmonic modulation would employ shifting tonalities. The last seven measures form a coda, which does not add to the form proper.

A B A  $\text{♩} = 72$

23

**Dynamics and Instructions:**

- Measure 1: **f**
- Measures 2-6: **p**
- Measures 7-18: **p**, **< f**
- Measures 19-21: **pp**, **mf**
- Measures 22-27: **ff**, **f**
- Coda (Measures 28-39): **f**

**Performance Notes:**

- Measure 1: Includes a tempo marking of  $\text{♩} = 72$ .
- Measures 2-6: Dynamics **p** and **ff**.
- Measures 7-18: Dynamics **p** and **< f**.
- Measures 19-21: Dynamics **pp** and **mf**.
- Measures 22-27: Dynamics **ff** and **f**.
- Coda (Measures 28-39): Dynamics **f**.

**SNARE DRUM**

Portraits in Rhythm, Anthony J. Cirone; Belwin  
Etude #23, Meas. 1-Fine, (p. 25)

**ETUDE SET 2**

*Coda*

The musical score consists of two staves of snare drum notation. The top staff starts with a dynamic of *più f*. Above the staff, there are two measures of sixteenth-note patterns with '3' above them, indicating triplets. A crescendo symbol ( $\geq p$ ) follows. The dynamic then changes to *cresc.* with a dash below it. The bottom staff begins with a dynamic of *ff*. It contains a series of eighth-note patterns. The dynamic changes to *sffz* at the end of the measure, indicated by a dynamic symbol with a 'z' and a flourish.

## TYMPANI

The Solo Timpanist, Vic Firth; Carl Fischer  
Etude #15, Meas. 1-8 and 26-47, (p.27)

## ETUDE SET 2

This etude exemplifies some of the problems of 7/8. The measures should not be counted in seven, but in various combinations of two plus two plus three; 7/8 meter is rarely counted in one.

Sticking is always subject to controversy. With my own students, I insist that they use my sticking. If it still does not overcome the problem of execution, I allow a substitution. However, I suggest that you follow my stickings meticulously as they will generally prove to be correct, thought-out, and most sensible. All the glissandi and tunings in this etude can be executed standing, but if one feels more comfortable sitting, he should do so.

I have used several *fp* dynamics (e.g., measures 12 and 23). An effective *fp* roll is best obtained by attacking the roll with a single forte right-hand stroke. The second stroke, made by the left hand, is immediately piano and, of course, all the subsequent strokes are piano until whatever dynamic follows. This produces the fastest *fp* dynamic possible without muffling. It also makes possible the difference between *fp* and *sfz*. The *sfz* is produced by both a strong right and left stroke, and is usually in a forte dynamic (see measure 17).

*j=116*

G A D

3

4

3

gliss.

gliss.

8

3

3

F# A D      *mp*

D/E A/B

12

*fp*      *f*

*fp*      *f*

16

3

*sfz*

*sfz*

20

D#/E

*sp*

24

*f*

B/A      E/D

1

TYMPANI

The Solo Timpanist, Vic Firth; Carl Fischer  
Etude #15, Meas. 1-8 and 26-47, (p.27)

ETUDE SET 2

29

32      3

35

40

44      2

## KEYBOARD

## ETUDE SET 2

Modern School for Xylophone, Marimba, and Vibraphone, Morris Goldenberg; Chappell and Co.  
Etude #15, Meas. 1-25, (p. 73)

The sheet music consists of 12 staves of musical notation for keyboard instruments. The tempo is marked as  $\text{♩} = 88$ . The music is in common time and uses a treble clef. The notation includes various note heads and stems, with specific handings indicated by letters: L (Left Hand) and R (Right Hand). The first staff shows a pattern starting with L, followed by R, RR, R, RL, and R. Subsequent staves continue this pattern with variations, such as RRL, RRLR, and RRLRR. Measure 12 begins with a large vertical bracket under the R hand, spanning multiple measures. Measures 13 through 16 show a continuation of the RRLR pattern. Measures 17 through 20 show a variation where the R hand plays a sustained note or chord while the L hand provides harmonic support. Measures 21 through 25 conclude the etude with a final sequence of RRLR patterns.

**Crash Cymbals**

Orchestral Repertoire for Bass Drum and Cymbals, Raynor Carroll  
Romeo and Juliet, Peter Tchaikovsky (Letter "O" to Letter "U") - pp.78-79

## ETUDE SET 2

The musical score consists of ten staves of bass drum notation. The first staff starts with **ff**. The second staff features a bass clef, a dynamic of **ff**, and a bracketed section labeled **O**. The third staff ends with **ff**. The fourth staff contains a measure number **2**. The fifth staff ends with **ff**. The sixth staff has a label **P**. The seventh staff includes measure numbers **21**, **18**, and **6**, with notes labeled (harp) and (timpani). The eighth staff shows measures numbered **1** through **6**, with a dynamic of **mf** and a note labeled (timpani). The ninth staff features dynamics **f**, **f**, and **ff**, with a label **S**. The tenth staff includes measure numbers **5** and **4**, with a label **T**. The eleventh staff ends with **ff**. The twelfth staff ends with **ff** and a label **U** followed by *Tacet* and *the end*.

## Tambourine

## ETUDE SET 2

Orchestral Repertoire for Tambourine, Triangle and Castenets, Raynor Carroll  
 The Nutcracker Suite, Peter Tchaikovsky ("Trepak" - ALL / "Arabe" - ALL) - pp. 116-117

Tempo di trepak, molto vivace

A Tamb.

16

ff      ff      mf

f      ff      ff      mf

B      C

16      5

(timpani)

ff      ff

ff      >

ff      >

stringendo

*sempre fff*

Prestissimo

1      2      3      4      5      6      7

9/8

### Tambourine

Orchestral Repertoire for Tambourine, Triangle and Castanets, Raynor Carroll  
The Nutcracker Suite, Peter Tchaikovsky ("Trepak" - ALL / "Arabe" - ALL) - pp. 116-117

ETUDE SET 2

**Allegretto**

(1st violins)

(1st clarinet)

†) Tambourino mit dem daumen.

A

B

C

D

(English horn) (clarinet)

dimin.

morendo